# WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1.  A system for providing a plurality of users with network-based groupware application functionality, comprising:
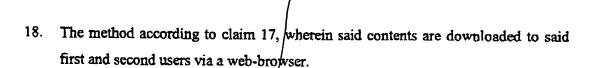
    (i)   a network-connected server capable of receiving an initiate instruction from a primary user, said server for maintaining a hierarchy between said primary user and at least one secondary user;

    (ii)  a site builder for creating a dedicated site on said server in response to said initiate instruction;

    (iii) a transmitter for sending information about the existence of said dedicated site to said at least one secondary user nominated by said primary user;

    (iv)  a communicator for transmitting information between said dedicated site, said primary user and said at least one secondary user,;

    (v)   memory for storing information at said dedicated site, said information from said primary and said at least one secondary user;

    (vi)  a processor for processing said information stored at said dedicated site said processed information being transmitted by said communicator to said primary user and said at least one secondary user.

2.  The system according to claim 1, wherein said processed information is stored by said primary user and said at least one secondary user.

3.  The system according to claim 1, wherein information is transmitted between said primary user and said dedicated site, and between said at least one secondary user and said dedicated site.

4.  The system according to claim 1, wherein said primary and said at least one secondary users communicate via a web-browser.

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5. The system according to claim 1, wherein said server contains an address database of communication addresses for said at least one secondary user connected to said network.

6. The system according to claim 5, wherein said network includes an internet connection.

7. The system according to claim 1, wherein said primary and said at least one secondary users accessing said communication network are assigned a unique personal workspace for providing said primary and said at least one secondary users with access to features of said network designated for said primary and said at least one secondary users.

8. The system according to claim 1, wherein a user is assigned a password enabling access to predefined sites within said server.

9. The system according to claim 1, wherein the processor includes providing the primary user with a workgroup activity application.

10. The system according to claim 9, wherein said workgroup activity application is selected from the group comprising bulletin board, chat room, calendar, contact database, change control, event planner, group discussion, issue management, project collaboration, presentation library, decision survey in a box, NGS proposal development and document management.

11. The system according to claim 10, wherein said primary user is an advisor and said at least one secondary user is a client.

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12. The system according to claim 11, wherein said bulletin board and document management includes recommended advice and research documents from said advisor.

13. The system according to claim 12, wherein said chat room includes an on-line chat between said broker and said client.

14. The system according to claim 12, wherein said calendar and event planner include a list of tasks to be done and a list of upcoming events.

15. The system according to claim 12, wherein said group discussion includes a discussion between said advisor and said client.

16. The system according to claim 1, wherein said transmitter is selected from the group comprising e-mail, a pop-up window, a telephone, and a facsimile.

17. A method for providing a communication network, comprising:

   (i) providing an network-connected server having upload and download capabilities;

   (ii) receiving instructions uploaded from a first user and for creating a dedicated network site on said server, said dedicated network site having a unique name based on instructions received;

   (iii) communicating the existence of said dedicated intranet site to a nominated second user;

   (iv) downloading contents of said dedicated network site to said first and second users;

   (vi) storing information in the dedicated web-site.

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18. The method according to claim 17, wherein said contents are downloaded to said first and second users via a web-browser.

19. A computer configured to operate a groupware application program, the computer comprising:

    (vii)    a network for connecting to at least a primary and a secondary user;

    (viii)    a site builder for receiving instructions input from said primary user and for creating a dedicated site within the computer based on said instructions;

    (ix)    a mailer for looking up an address of said secondary user from an address database;

    (x)    a communicator for communicating the existence of said dedicated site to said secondary user;

    (xi)    memory for storing information at said dedicated site at the request of the primary and the secondary user; and

    (xii)    a processor for processing said stored information at the request of the primary and the secondary user.

20. A data carrier having thereon a computer program for performing the steps of: facilitating communication between a server, a primary user and a secondary user;

    (i)    creating a dedicated site within the server based on instructions input from the primary user;

    (ii)    looking up address of the secondary user from an address database;

    (iii)    communicating the existence of the dedicated site to the secondary user;

    (iv)    storing information at the dedicated site at the request of the primary and the secondary user; and

    (v)    processing the stored information at the request of the primary and the secondary user.

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